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## "CYCLONE" FROM TEXAS FINALLY WEARS COLLAR

Representative Davis Eschews Grey Muffler, but Does Not Explain His Reason.

"Cyclone" Davis, of Texas, gave the House a shock yesterday when he strode into the chamber displaying that first collar of commerce that he has worn in twenty-five years.

Mr. Davis came to Washington proclaiming that in the South he was known as "Cyclone," and that he was henceforth to be known to fame as the "collarless statesman." Just what called the raw recruit from Texas to eschew his grey muffler has not been explained.

The collar "Cyclone" wore yesterday was the "choker" brand that used to be popular twenty years ago. The collar is the only concession he has made to the neckwear conventions. His shirt was minus a tie, being covered in part by his luxuriant whiskers.

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## HUGHES IS ELECTED HOSPITAL PRESIDENT

Board of Directors of Garfield Hospital Fill Vacancy Caused by Death of Gen. Sternberg.

Justice Hughes, of the United States Supreme Court, was elected president of the board of directors of Garfield Hospital at the board's annual meeting yesterday. Justice Hughes has accepted the office, it was announced.

Preceding the meeting of the directors, the twenty-three incorporators of the hospital met and re-elected the members of the directorate. Justice Hughes was made a director by the incorporators, filling a vacancy caused by the death of Gen. George M. Sternberg, late president of the board.

At the meeting of the directors, the Supreme Court Justice was elevated to the presidency.

John A. Baker was elected first vice president, Dr. P. Morris Murray second vice president, and Miss Allene Solomon secretary. Other directors are Dr. J. C. Boyd, Mrs. E. H. Buckingham, H. E. Willard, Justice Stanton, C. Peelle, Col. Archibald Hopkins, Clarence Wilson, Walter Peter, H. Prescott Galtley, Mrs. John M. Holland, Maj. W. O. Owen, and Col. John Van R. Hoff.

Members of the board of directors spoke enthusiastically of the success of the hospital under Miss Nevins' supervision and of additions to the plant.

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Wash Away All the Stomach, Liver and Bowel Poisons Before Breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside, no sour bile to coat your tongue and stoke your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headaches, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside.

This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities in the blood, while the bowels do, says a well known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys, and bowels, drink before breakfast each day a glass of hot water with a few spoonfuls of limestone phosphate in it.

This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless. Except a sourish twinge, which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves, and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment, and above all, keep it up! As soap and water act upon the skin, cleansing and sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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## CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN DESCRIBED IN BOOKLET

Artistically Executed Pamphlet Tells How \$17,000,000 Has Been Spent on Improvements to Road.

"What would you do with \$17,000,000?" This question is asked on the first page of the artistic and excellently written booklet, entitled "Modernizing a Railroad," which has just been issued by the Chicago Great Western Railroad, "The Corn Belt Route." The writer questions whether any person could use more than \$10,000,000 readily, and then proceeds to detail how that railway used its vast amount in bettering conditions of travel.

New steel cars, interlocked crossings, automatic safety signals and regular track inspections are some of the safety-first ideas involved in the improvements. Upon each of its 1,500 miles there was spent \$11,000 in permanent improvements. Unctive features of the road and the dispirited features of its service, together with photographs of striking features of the road's service and artistically conceived decorative sketches, are contained in the booklet.

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## Purely Personal

Mrs. Lydia Williams, who recently suffered a fractured arm from falling on the ice in front of Emergency Hospital, is at the hospital and is reported to be recovering.

Chiddo Miyatovich, graduate of George Washington University, and former Serbian senator and minister to England, has come to this country to tell the real story of Serbia and her people. It is likely he will include Washington in his itinerary.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron H. Barker, Jr., of Washington, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Playford, at their home in Green Spring Valley, were among the guests at a meeting of the Supper Club last night in Baltimore.

Frederic H. Harris yesterday had his name sent to the Senate by President Wilson as chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks to succeed Civil Engineer Homer R. Stanford, whose four-year term expired on Friday. Mrs. Stanford will be assigned to duty at the Mare Island (Cal.) Navy Yard.

Miss Helen Waldsmith, assistant in the foreign trade department of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, has come to Washington to study the methods of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce of the Department of Commerce with a view to promoting export trade of the country.

Mrs. Alan Cole, of Baltimore, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Ames Kelchler, in this city, has returned to her home.

Henry D. Clark has been probably appointed assistant engineer physicist at \$1,800 a year in the Bureau of Standards.

Thomas W. Higdon, of Langdon, D. C., has entered the naval service. He passed a rigid examination at the Baltimore recruiting office last week.

Harry M. Klee, who has been confined to his home for the past ten days as a result of tonsillitis, has returned to duty in the Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department.

Lieut. Commander Joseph R. Defrees, who for the past three years has been on duty as the torpedo officer at the Bureau of Ordnance, has recently been detached and ordered to command the new Dreadnaught Nevada. Lieut. Commander Defrees, with Mrs. Defrees and young daughter, are at present residing at the Woodward.

Jonker and Mrs. Tjarda van Starkenborgh Stachouwer have returned to Washington after spending the winter at Lakewood, N. J., where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. V. May Riley and her daughter, Mary, are visiting relatives at Barnesville, Ohio.

Miss Julia Williams is the guest of her brother-in-law and her sister, Lieut. and Mrs. Joel Bunkley.

Mrs. R. L. Murphy, of North Carolina, is visiting Mrs. H. E. C. Bryant, at 381 Wisconsin avenue.

Miss Katherine Poullian Goodridge, of Baltimore, who was visiting friends in this city, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell Sweeney are at Atlantic City for a short stay.

Miss Marion H. Buckler, of Baltimore, who was visiting friends in this city, left for her home last night.

First Battalion Chief James C. Keller is acting head of the fire department. Chief Frank J. Wagner and Deputy Chief Andrew J. Sullivan, both being on the sick list, Chief Wagner is suffering from a slight attack of grip and an ulcerated tooth, while his deputy is nursing a sprained ankle.

Stephen R. Lydane and Edna J. O'Neale, who have computed interest and per centage, side by side, in the office of the collector of taxes for several years, were married at Baltimore on Friday. Mrs. Lydane will be back at his desk this week, but the bride has resigned.

George H. Bailey, veteran in the District engineer department, is one of the hundreds who are suffering from the sweeping attack of grip and influenza in the District.

Capt. Almont Barnes, of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, Department of Agriculture, has returned to his desk from a short leave of absence.

Thomas H. Birch, United States minister to Portugal, is in Washington for a short stay. He is at the Shoreham.

L. L. Korn, of the money order division, Postoffice Department, has returned to work from a short vacation spent in New Jersey.

Williams Asked to Appear Before House Committee Friday—Representative Howard Urges Thorough Probe.

At the conclusion of a hearing yesterday by the House Committee on Rules on a resolution offered by Representative Howard, of Georgia, in which the charge was made that many national banks, notably in the South, charge usurious rates of interest, announcement was made that John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Currency, would be asked to discuss the subject before the committee on Friday.

Representative Campbell, of Kansas, a Republican member of the committee, made it known that he would make special inquiry of the Comptroller as to whether national banks have exacted exorbitant rates of interest for government funds deposited with them.

The statement of the Comptroller discloses a disabbling condition in some of our banking institutions," said Mr. Howard. "It practically imposes upon Congress the sacred duty of letting in the white light of a thorough investigation of his charges. This is necessary that the country may know the pawnbroker and skintint bankers operating under a Federal charter. Separate the sheep from the goats in the banking business."

Justice Anderson, after hearing testimony of the plaintiff in the suit of J. L. Watson vs. J. L. Watson, yesterday entertained a motion by the defendant's attorneys that the case be dismissed, and indicated that a decree would be signed dismissing the suit. Watson was formerly secretary of the firm.

BOND DEMAND STRONG.

Street Railway Stocks Also Feature of "Change Trading."

Street railway stocks featured yesterday's session of the Washington Stock Exchange. American Graphophone first 5 per cent bonds in strong demand. A total of \$1,000,000 worth of the bonds sold at 98, the price that has prevailed since the issue was listed on the local exchange early last week.

Four blocks of Washington Railway and Electric preferred stock of twenty-five shares each sold at 83-3/4, while another block of fifteen shares changed hands at 81-1/4. After call \$3,300 worth of American Graphophone first 5 per cent bonds were disposed of at 98. The only other sale of the day was \$2,800 Capital Traction 5 per cent bonds at 107-1/8.

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## DEFENSE URGED BY CIVIC LEAGUE

National Federation in Convention Listens to Pleas for National Preparedness.

PENSION SYSTEM URGED Retirement Plan for Civil Service Employees Advocated in Resolution.

Stirring pleas for an adequate national defense, betterment of conditions among the laboring class and a pension system for employees of the United States government were contained in addresses at the opening session of the National Civic Federation yesterday at the New Willard.

Following the morning session the delegates were treated to a luncheon by the woman's department of the federation, which is meeting simultaneously with the national body.

In an address at the luncheon, Representative Augustus Gardner, of Massachusetts, advocating preparedness, declared:

"The dove of peace is no bird when the hawk is abroad. There is only one bird that can master the hawk and that bird is the America eagle backed by preparedness."

Representative Nicholas Longworth, speaking at the luncheon, declared the United States is approaching a point where compulsory service of some kind will be necessary. Preparedness, he said, means not only protection of the home line of the United States, but protection for every American citizen wherever he may be.

Hits Defense Opponents.

A bitter attack against opponents of preparedness was launched by Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge, advocating the continental army plan of Secretary Garrison.

The opening session of the ninth annual meeting of the women's department of the federation, held at the New Willard yesterday, was devoted entirely to reports of officers.

Officers of the department are: Miss Maud Wetmore, national chairman; Mrs. Rogers Bacon, New York, secretary; and Miss Anne Morgan, New York, treasurer.

The resolution urging upon Congress the enactment of an equitable retirement system for Federal employees was introduced by John J. Deving, president of Plate Printers' Local No. 2, and was unanimously adopted.

"The strength of our right arm alone will prevent the antagonisms and hates of Europe from finding lodgement on this continent after the war," declared Seth Low in his opening address. Advocating preparedness, he urged the adoption of a slight compulsory service, such as a modified Swiss system.

At the close of the military preparedness which makes the flag under which we live the emblem of our life, our all, and not a rag with which to protect the corpse from which life spirit has fled, wetmore asserted. Miss Maud Wetmore, national chairman.

Welfare Work Explained.

The history and extent of welfare in the United States was outlined in the report of William G. Mather, of the welfare committee, who said that more than 1,200 employees are actively engaged in voluntarily improving the working and living conditions of men and women laborers.

At the request of the workmen's compensation department, told of the efforts that are being made to secure the enactment of legislation for workmen's compensation.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson, public health committee, declared that the length of life in America has increased from about 35 to 51 years plus, during the past thirty years. The average death rate, he said, has decreased from 21 per 1,000 to 14 per 1,000.

The provision by municipalities of central collection of refuse, he said, should be maintained for the inspection of the product of slaughter houses, and the prohibiting of the sale of meats which had not been inspected by a health official.

A. J. Porter presented the report of the committee on the condition of the labor situation from a world-wide standpoint prepared by Miss Marie L. Obenauer.

Hayes Robbins yesterday afternoon graphically described the improved labor conditions of today as compared with those of a generation ago.

The session of the federation this morning will be devoted entirely to the discussion of the question "What is Adequate Preparedness for National Defense." Among the speakers will be: Senators James W. Wadsworth and M. P. Phelan, Samuel Gompers, John Hays Hammond, Emmett O'Neal, Arthur H. Dammann and Talcott Williams.

Immigration will be the subject of discussion at the afternoon session.

Representative Roberts, of Massachusetts, representing Michigan, and Mrs. Lyndon Bates will be the principal speakers at a meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the New Willard under auspices of the women's department of the federation. Preparedness will be discussed.

Girls' Rifle Club Organized.

A Girls' Rifle Club has been organized at Western High School. Miss Roberta Wallace, of the faculty, has general supervision of the club. Miss Elizabeth Claxton, daughter of Dr. Philander P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education, has been elected president.

Want Reno Road Extended.

Residents of Chevy Chase and Cleveland Park appeared before the Commissioners yesterday to urge the extension of Reno road from Macomb street to Kings Ford road, and also to request the Commissioners not to destroy the natural beauties of Kings Ford by filling it in to the level of Connecticut avenue.

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## The Town Crier

The Mississippi Society of Washington will give a reception and dance on Friday night at the Porter apartments. Fifteenth and U streets northwest, in honor of the members of the Congressional delegation of that State and their wives.

The National Security League will hold the opening session of its annual convention on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the New Willard. Sessions will continue on Friday and Saturday.

An organ recital will be given in St. Stephen's Church, Columbia Heights, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock by James Stoddard, organist and choirmaster, assisted by Morgan Cilley, tenor.

The Confederate Veterans' Association of the District will celebrate jointly the birthdays of Gen. Robert E. Lee and Gen. T. J. (Stonewall) Jackson at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in First Baptist Church, Fifteenth and O streets northwest.

The Knights of Mosaic of the Government Printing Office will hold their annual banquet on the night of February 22.

The Medical Society of the District and the Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis will hold a joint session tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the George Washington Medical School Building, 155 H street northwest, to pay tribute to the memory of the late Gen. George M. Sternberg. Plans will be formulated for a vigorous campaign against tuberculosis in the District.

The Housekeepers' Alliance will be addressed this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Home Club by Miss Mary O'Toole, local attorney and suffragist, on "Laws of the District Relating to Housekeepers."

Ten churches of the southwest section of the city are holding joint revival services every night this week at 7:45 o'clock in Fifth Baptist Church, of which Rev. Dr. John E. Briggs is pastor.

The first of a series of lectures by Emma Goldman, anarchist, on "Dynamics of the Modern Drama" will be delivered tomorrow night at the Metropolitan Building Association Hall, Eleventh and E streets northwest. The other five lectures of the series will be held at Arcade Hall, Fourteenth street and Park road, on January 25 and February 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

"The Nations at War" will be the subject of an illustrated lecture by W. J. Showalter, assistant editor of the National Geographic Magazine, tonight in Luther Place Memorial Lutheran Church, Fourteenth and N streets northwest. An address will be delivered by Rev. Dr. George M. Dittendoffer, general secretary of the Pastors' Fund Society of the General Lutheran Synod. Rev. Dr. Anstadt, pastor of the church, will preside.

Mount Pleasant Lodge, No. 33, F. A. A. M., will celebrate its fifth anniversary on the night of January 22, in the Arcade hall. A ballroom, entertainment will be presented and there will be dancing.

The National Marine Engineers' Association will open its annual convention this morning at the Raleigh. Sessions will continue throughout the week. Officers are: Bruce Gibson, president; E. E. Roberts, first vice president; C. M. Voeburg, second vice president; William Wilson, third vice president; J. A. Grubb, secretary, and A. L. Jones, treasurer.

The Columbia Historical Society will elect officers at its annual meeting, to be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the Shoreham. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley will speak on "The Effect of Food on the Efficiency of the Nation."

The Study Club of the Washington Center of the Drama League will be addressed at Public Library, Thursday night at 8:15 o'clock by Ralph A. Graves on "The Irish National Theater." Miss Ethel M. Smith will describe the "little theaters" of New York and Boston, and Mrs. Glenna Smith Tinnin will tell about the municipal theater experiment in Northampton.

Gen. M. Emmett Urell Camp, No. 5, United Spanish War Veterans, will be elected commander-in-chief at Pythian Temple by Commander-in-Chief L. C. Dyer and Department Commander J. Z. A. Braden with their staffs.

The Anti-War League of the District will hold a mass meeting against preparedness and militarism on Thursday night at 8 o'clock in Public Library. Representative Warren Worth Bailey, of Pennsylvania, will preside, and addresses will be delivered by Oswald Garrison Villard and Hollingsworth Wood, both of New York City.

"The World War and Future of the International Movement" will be the subject of a lecture at Pythian Temple tonight at 8:15 o'clock by Alexandra Kolontay, a revolutionary Russian socialist, under auspices of the Socialist party of the District. Mrs. Kolontay will give an unexpurgated account of actual conditions in Russia and Germany.

The Berean Bible class of the Ninth Street Christian Church, Ninth and D streets northeast, will hold a banquet tonight at 8 o'clock at the church.

The Washington Classical Club will meet Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Gunston Hall, 1906 Florida avenue northwest. Rev. Francis P. Donnelly, S. J., president of Gonzaga College, will lecture on "The Teaching of English Through the Classics."

Experts have estimated that there are more than 3,500,000,000 short tons of coal in the United States, exclusive of Alaska, more than in any other continent, and nearly twice as much as in Europe.

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